

BUDGET INFORMATION SESSIONS

Engaging the LSRTs during the budgeting process will be a top priority for DC Public Schools this year. Budget Information Sessions will be held for LSRT Chairpersons and members to learn about the basics of the school budgeting. These sessions will provide:

- General overview of school budgets
- How school budgets are calculated
- The different areas where schools can spend money

This is a great opportunity for LSRT members to become familiar with school budgets before being asked to provide suggestions to their principals based on the real numbers.

There will be different DCPS staff members from different parts of the organization who can answer questions on Title I funds, Special Education, English Language Learners and staffing. All these areas have a major impact on each of the school's budget.

Budget information sessions for LSRT Chairs and other LSRT members will occur three times across the District. Members of the LSRT will need to attend only one of the meetings.

Dates and locations for the Budget Information Sessions		
Date	Time	Location
January 7, 2010	6:30 – 8:00 pm	Langdon EC
		(1900 Evarts St. NE)
January 11, 2010	6:30 – 8:00 pm	Savoy ES
		(2400 Shannon Pl. SE)
January 13, 2010	6:30 – 8:00 pm	Bancroft ES
		(1755 Newton St. NW)

For more information about the Budget Information Session, please contact Evan Smith, Director of School Operations, at Evan.Smith@dc.gov or (202) 442-5438.